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PART V

SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE SEVENTH SATURDAY IN 1944.

(12TH FEBRUARY 1944).

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 12th February 1944.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: This year	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: Average of past 35 years	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
angalore City and Taluk ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 40	—0 40
Hoskote ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Dodballapur ..	0 00	0 09	0 00	0 44	—0 44
Nelamangala ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Kankanhalli ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 26	—0 26
Magadi ..	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Channapatna ..	0 00	0 09	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Anekal ..	0 00	0 10	0 00	0 43	—0 43
Devanhalli ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 40	—0 40
Closepet ..	0 00	0 11	0 00	0 37	—0 37
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 35	—0 35
KOLAR.					
Kolar ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 55	—0 55
Bowringpet ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 54	—0 54
Chintamani ..	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 39	—0 39
Mulbagal ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 71	—0 71
Sidlaghatta ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 47	—0 47
Chikballapur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 60	—0 60
Bagepalli ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 29	—0 29
Goribidnur ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Malur ..	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 51	—0 51
Srinivaspur ..	0 00	0 11	0 00	0 62	—0 62
Gudibanda ..	0 00	0 10	0 00	0 47	—0 47
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 50	—0 50
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 19	—0 19
Madhugiri ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Chiknaikanhalli ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Sira ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 33	—0 33
Gubbi ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 18	—0 16
Tiptur ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 18	—0 18
Pavagada ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 38	—0 38
Kunigal ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 18	—0 18
Kortagere ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 29	—0 29
Turuvekere ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 25	—0 25
MYSORE.					
Mysore ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Chamarajnagar ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Hunsur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 32	—0 32
Krishnarajnagar	0 00	0 08	0 00	0 27	—0 27
Heggaddevankote	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 39	—0 39
Gundlupet ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 40	—0 40
Nanjangud ..	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 45	—0 45
T. Narsipur ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 29	—0 29
Periyapatna ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 42	—0 42
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 35	—0 35

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 12th February 1944—concld.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: This year	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: Average of past 35 years	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944: Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ..	0 00	0 09	0 00	0 37	—0 37
Seringapatam ..	0 00	0 10	0 00	0 34	—0 34
Malvalli ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 17	—0 17
Krishnarajpete	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 26	—0 26
Nagamangala ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 29	—0 29
Maddur ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 29	—0 29
French-Rocks ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 29	—0 29
HASSAN.					
Hassan ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 32	—0 32
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 21	—0 21
Arkalgud ..	0 00	0 08	0 00	0 43	—0 43
Belur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Channarayapatna	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 19	—0 19
Arsikere ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Hole-Narsipur ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 23	—0 23
Alur ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 29	—0 29
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 21	—0 21
Channagiri ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 20	—0 20
Honnali ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 32	—0 32
Shikarpur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 13	—0 13
Sorab ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 15	—0 15
Sagar ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Tirthahalli ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 22	—0 22
Kumsi ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 15	—0 15
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 20	—0 20
KADUR.					
Chikmagalur ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 31	—0 31
Kadur ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 27	—0 27
Tarikere ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 30	—0 30
Koppa ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 35	—0 35
Mudgere ..	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 26	—0 26
Narasimharajpura	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 16	—0 16
Sringeri ..	0 00	0 02	0 86*	0 24	+0 62
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 04	0 12	0 27	—0 15
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 41	—0 41
Challakere ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 27	—0 27
Hiriyur ..	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 20	—0 20
Holalkere ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 27	—0 27
Davangere ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 12	—0 12
Molakalmuru ..	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 36	—0 36
Jagalur ..	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 43	—0 43
Hosdurga ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 23	—0 23
Harihar ..	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 24	—0 24
Dist. Average ..	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 28	—0 28
Provincial Average	0 00	0 04	0 01	0 31	—0 30

*It is reported that there was rainfall of 0·86 cents during the month of January 1944 at Sringeri.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 8TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 19TH FEBRUARY 1944.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·0 to 4·0	3·0 to 4·0	6·0
	Ragi ..	6·50	6·50	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·75	4·75	12·0
	Kadale ..	2·0 to 2·25	2·0 to 2·25	7·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·7	3·7	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·2	7·3	13·0
	Horsegram ..	4·1	4·1	11·0
	Kadale ..	2·4	2·4	7·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·75	3·25	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·25	7·25	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·50	4·50	7·50
	Kadale ..	3·0	3·0	6·50
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort ..	3·75	3·75	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·0	7·0	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·25	4·25	18·0
	Kadale ..	2·25	2·25	7·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·25	4·25	5·0
	Ragi ..	7·0	7·0	10·0
	Horsegram ..	5·0	5·0	9·50
	Kadale ..	2·0	2·0	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·0	4·0	7·0
	Ragi ..	7·75	7·75	18·0
	Horsegram ..	4·50	4·50	9·0
	Kadale ..	2·50	2·50	6·0
Shimoga	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·50	4·50	5·50
	Ragi ..	7·75	7·75	10·0
	Horsegram ..	4·50	4·50	10·0
	Kadale ..	2·0	2·0	6·0
Kadur	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·0	4·0	8·0
	Ragi ..	7·50	7·50	16·0
	Horsegram ..	4·50	4·50	10·0
	Kadale ..	2·75	2·75	6·0
Chitaldrug	Rice, 2nd sort ..	4·25	4·25	6·0
	Ragi ..	7·75	7·75	16·0
	Horsegram ..	5·0	5·0	15·0
	Kadale ..	2·0	2·0	7·0

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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in parts of Nelamangala and Channapatna; ragi and paddy in parts of Anekal and Devanhalli; and ragi and sugarcane in parts of Bangalore South.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" and "Black-quarter" in Kanchanahalli village, Satanur Hobli, Kankanhalli Taluk. Necessary action to check the spread of the disease is reported to have been taken. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of paddy in some parts of Kolar, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, horsegram and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Thogari, horsegram, sugarcane, groundnut, avare and paddy, are being harvested in several parts of the district.

10. Good.

11. "Rinderpest" is said to prevail in some villages in Kolar, Chintamani and Chikballapur Taluks. Necessary preventive measures to check the spread of the disease have been taken.

Labour classes find sufficient labour.

Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Fairly supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur taluk; horsegram and paddy in Madhugiri Taluk; paddy, cotton, wheat, jola in Sira Taluk; avare and sugarcane in Tiptur Taluk; castor, Bengalgram, horsegram in Pavagada Taluk; sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in Kortagere Taluk; paddy, castor and sugarcane in Turuvekere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Harvest.—sugarcane in Kunigal and Koratagere taluks; paddy, sugarcane and horsegram in Turuvekere Taluk are reported to have been harvested during this week.

10. Fair.

11. *Condition of Cattle.*—Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of rinderpest at Tirumani and Palavalli villages of Pavagada Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted. Water and fodder are reported to be available throughout the District. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Small-pox is reported to be prevailing in Harikyathanahalli, Nidagal, Palavalli, Ryapati, Kyathaganacherlu and Hosahalli in Pavagada Taluk. Medical and Sanitary Officers are reported to have been addressed to take action to check the spread of the disease.

Out of the extent of 31,780 acres and 18 guntas for cultivation under "Grow More Food Campaign Scheme", an extent of 10,056 acres and 17 guntas have been cultivated with food crops. The raiyats are being encouraged to grow more food crops.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Tobacco, bengalgram in Periyapatna; cotton bengalgram and coriander in Nanjangud, Gundlupet and Mysore are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Periyapatna—paddy, ragi and horsegram in Chamarajnagar and Krishnaraj nagar—paddy. Heggaddevankote—bengalgram, coriander and castor are reported to be being harvested.

10. *Rainfall.*—Generally good.

Sufficient labour and wages are available to labouring class.

It is reported that Plague is prevailing in some parts of Heggaddevankote town. Necessary preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in some parts of Mysore, Chamarajnagar, Nanjangud, Gundlupet, Heggaddevankote, Periyapatna Taluks. Necessary action is being taken to check the spread of the disease.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Sugarcane and kar ragi are reported to have been planted and sown respectively in Mandya Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and paddy in Mandya, Nagamangala and Krishnarajpet Taluks; sugarcane in Seringapatam, Malvalli, Maddur and French-Rocks Taluks; are reported to be in good condition.

9. *Crops Harvested.*—Sugarcane and paddy in Mandya and Malvalli Taluks are reported to have been harvested.

10. *Public Health.*—Public health is reported to be generally good except for plague in Agrahara-bachahalli village, Krishnarajpet Taluk. It is reported by the Amildar that all preventive measures have been taken to arrest the spread of the disease.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. It is reported that Rinderpest is still prevailing in some parts of Malvalli, Maddur and Krishnarajpet Taluks. It is reported by the respective Amildars that preventive measures have been taken to arrest the spread of the epidemic. Fodder and water are reported to be available in sufficient quantities.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. There is dearth for rice and ragi in all the local markets for which arrangements have been made for supply of the same from the available places and Emergency Stock Depots.

Seeds Sown.—'Kar-paddy' is being sown in the Hassan Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Sugarcane in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and bengalgram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Chennarayapatna and Alur Taluks; ragi in the Arkalgud, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; sugarcane in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; kadale in the Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; castor in the Arsikere Taluk and huruli in the Channarayapatna Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in some villages of Hassan, Arkalgud, Manjarabad and Belur Taluks, in Noranakki village, Channarayapatna Taluk, in Haralahalli village, Holenarsipur Taluk and in Siddapur, Palya Hobli, Honnavalli, in Kenchammanahoskote Hobli and in Kasaba Hobli of Alur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures to check the spread of the disease. It is reported that Special Veterinary Inspectors are on duty in the Belur Taluk for taking remedial measures.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Hosanagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; sugarcane in the taluks of Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur, Hosanagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; and ragi and jola in the taluks of Channagiri; and areca in the taluk of Tirthahalli are being harvested.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sagar and Kumsi; and cotton in Channagiri Taluk; are in good c ondition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Food-grains are available.

11. "Rinderpest" is reported to be prevailing in all the taluks. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking the necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

Fodder and water are available.

12. Out of the extent of 13,302 acres and 16 guntas granted under "Grow More Food Scheme", an extent of 5,754 acres and 23 guntas has been brought under cultivation. The Amildars have been directed to see that the entire extent granted is brought under cultivation and that food and fodder crops are grown thereon

KADUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; wheat, summer-jola and bengalgram in Kadur Taluk and pepper in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk are the standing crops.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane, bengalgram and avare in Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy, areca, coffee and sugarcane in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; paddy, and ragi in Kadur Taluk; and sugarcane, and avare in Tarikere Taluk are the crops harvested during the week.

Public Health.—Plague is reported to be prevailing in Kadur and Birur Towns and Small-pox in some parts of Koppa Taluk. Preventive measures are being taken to check the spread of Plague and Small-pox.

Public Health in the other parts of the district is reported to be good. Sufficient labour is available and the condition of the labouring class is satisfactory.

10. Seasonal conditions are reported to be good throughout the district.

11. "Rinderpest" is reported to be prevailing in some parts of Koppa Taluk. The District Veterinary and Live-Stock Officer has been addressed to take needful action very early. Cattle in other parts of the district are reported to be in good condition. Fodder and water are reported to be available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. There is dearth for rice, ragi and jola in the markets. Arrangements have been made for the supply of these articles from the Emergency Depots and other available places.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of paddy in some parts of Hiriyur and Molakalmuru Taluks is reported to be in progress.

Standing Crops.—Castor, jola, groundnut, paddy, cotton, wheat and bengalgram, etc., are reported to be in fair condition.

Harvests.—Ragi, paddy, castor, thogari in Hiriyur Taluk; thogari, horsegram in Jagalur Taluk; bengalgram and cotton in Chitaldrug and Davangere Taluks are reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be satisfactory throughout the district and cooly classes are finding sufficient labour all over the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" disease in some parts of Chitaldrug, Hosdurga, Jagalur and Harihar Taluks.

Necessary preventive measures are reported to have been taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are at present available throughout the district.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RTEAIL OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM, AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 19TH FEBRUARY 1944.

District	Taluk	*Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.* Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram
		Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North	3 0 to 4 0	6 8	4 8
	Bangalore South	3 8	7 8	5 0
	Hoskote ..	3 8	7 8	4 8
	Dodballapur ..	4 0	7 8	4 0
	Nelamangala ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
	Kankanhalli ..	3 12	7 8	4 0
	Magadi ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Channapatna ..	3 8	7 4	4 0
	Anekal ..	4 0	7 8	4 0
	Devanhalli ..	3 8	7 8	4 0
	Closepet ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
Kolar	Kolar ..	3 4	7 0	5 0
	Bowringpet ..	3 4	7 0	4 0
	Chintamani ..	3 4	7 0	3 8
	Mulbagal ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
	Sidlaghatta ..	3 8	7 0	3 8
	Chikballapur ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
	Bagepalli ..	3 12	8 0	4 0
	Goribidnur ..	3 4	7 0	3 8
	Malur ..	3 4	7 4	5 0
	Srinivaspur ..	3 4	7 0	4 0
	Gudibanda ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
Tumkur	Tumkur ..	3 12	7 4	4 8
	Madhugiri ..	4 0	6 12	4 0
	Chiknayakanhalli	3 12	7 4	4 0
	Sira ..	3 4	6 12	3 8
	Gubbi ..	4 4	7 4	4 0
	Tiptur ..	3 12	7 4	4 0
	Pavagada ..	3 0	6 8	5 0
	Kunigal ..	4 8	7 4	5 0
	Koratagere ..	3 4	7 4	4 0
	Turuvekere ..	4 0	7 4	4 8
Mysore	Mysore ..	3 12	7 0	4 4
	Chamarajnagar ..	3 10	6 12	5 0
	Hunsur ..	4 0	7 4	4 0
	Krishnarajnagar ..	3 12	6 12	5 0
	Heggaddevankote	3 12	8 0	5 0
	Gundlupet ..	3 12	7 0	4 8
	Nanjangud ..	4 0	7 0	5 0
	T-Narsipur ..	3 12	6 8	4 0
	Periyapatna ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
Mandya	Mandya ..	4 4	7 0	5 0
	Seringapatam ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Malvalli ..	4 0	7 0	4 0
	Krishnarajpet ..	4 4	7 0	5 0
	Nagamangala ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Maddur ..	4 4	7 0	4 8
	French-Rocks ..	4 4	7 0	4 8
Hassan	Hassan ..	4 0	7 12	4 8
	Manjarabad ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Arkalgud ..	4 8	7 12	5 0
	Belur ..	4 12	7 4	5 0
	Channarayapatna	4 8	7 0	5 0
	Arsikere ..	4 0	7 12	4 0
	Hole-Narsipur ..	3 12	7 12	5 8
	Alur ..	4 8	7 4	5 0
Shimoga	Shimoga ..	4 8	7 12	4 8
	Channagiri ..	4 4	8 8	5 0
	Honnali ..	4 4	9 0	4 0
	Shikarpur ..	4 12	7 12	3 8
	Sorab ..	4 8	..	4 4
	Sagar ..	4 8	7 0	4 0
	Nagar ..	4 12	7 0	4 0
	Tirthahalli ..	4 8	7 0	4 0
	Kumsi ..	4 8	7 8	4 0
Kadur	Chikmagalur ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Kadur ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Tarikere ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Koppa ..	4 0	7 0	4 8
	Mudgere ..	4 0	7 0	4 12
	Narasimharajapura	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Sringeri ..	4 0	6 12	4 8
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ..	4 4	7 12	5 0
	Challakere ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Hiriyur ..	4 0	7 4	5 0
	Holalkere ..	4 8	8 8	..
	Davangere ..	4 4	8 0	8 0
	Molakalmuru ..	4 8	7 0	4 0
	Jagalur ..	4 8	7 8	4 0
	Hosdurga ..	4 4	8 4	8 0
	Harihar ..	4 4	8 0	8 0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.
Dated Bangalore, 22nd February 1944.
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M. SESHADRI,
Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1944.

A total of 128 attacks with 49 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 120 attacks with 77 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported 5 attacks with 3 deaths and 3 attacks with 1 death, respectively, while Kolar Gold Field Area reported 2 attacks with 2 deaths. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1943 and 1942, were 122 attacks with 77 deaths and 155 attacks with 73 deaths, respectively.

A total of 110 attacks with 36 deaths from Small-pox, were reported from one village in each of Magadi, Hiriyur Heggaddevankote, Hunsur, Krishnarajnagar, Hosnagar, Sorab, Tirthahalli and Pavagada Taluks; from two villages in Alur, Koppa, Malur and Sagar Taluks; and four villages in Goribidnur Taluk, and from Maddur, Shimoga and Tirthahalli Towns and from Kolar Gold Field Area.

A total of 7 attacks with 4 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in each of Kankanhalli and Malvalli Taluks.

The State continued to remain free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 120 (46 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 22·8 (14·1 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 27·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 3 under Plague, 1 under Malaria, 2 under Typhoid, 8 under Other Fevers, 23 under Phthisis, 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 78 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 132 deaths (24 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 41·2 (33·7 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 32·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 10, Malaria 1, Bro. Pneumonia 4, Pneumonia 14, Typhoid 4, Other Fevers 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 20 and All Other Causes 78.

The total mortality for Mysore City (for 5 days) was 67 (19 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 29·6 (21·2 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 23·9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 1, Malaria 1, Other Fevers 5, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 9, and All Other Causes 47. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 51 deaths (12 in hospitals), from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area, equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 24·3 (18·6 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 24·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under Plague, 2 under Small-pox, 5 under Other Fevers, 7 under Phthisis, 5 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 30 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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